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In accordance with 37 C.F.R §§1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the following references, which are also listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, be made of record in the above-identified case.

1. Japanese Laid Open Patent Application No. 2000-307470, dated November 2, 2000;
2. Japanese Laid Open Patent Application No. 10-336072, dated December 18, 1998;

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3. Japanese Laid Open Patent Application No. 2000-278177, dated October 6, 2000 and
4. Japanese Laid Open Patent Application No. 2001-217747, dated August 10, 2001.

The references were cited in a Japanese Office Action dated September 3, 2003 received from the Japanese Patent Office. Applicant is submitting copies of the above-cited references, together with an English translation of the Examiner's comments regarding the references from the Official Action. The relevance of the references is described in the Official Action.

In compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3), as a concise statement of relevance, as it is presently understood by the individual designated in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(c) most knowledgeable about the content of the information, the undersigned attorney of record submits a translation of portions of an official action by a foreign examiner in which the references were cited. The relevance to the pending U.S. patent application is that the references were cited in a foreign patent application on the same subject matter. However, no independent analysis of the references, the accuracy of the statement of the foreign examiner or the claims of the foreign application under the laws of that country or the United States relative to the subject matter claimed in the present application has been made; the present understanding of the contents thereof by the undersigned being based on the translation of the foreign examiner's comments submitted herewith.

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Director of RWS Group plc, of Europa House, Marsham Way, Gerrards Cross,
Buckinghamshire, hereby England declare that:

My name and post office address are as stated below;

That the translator responsible for the attached translation is knowledgeable in the English language and in the Japanese language, and that, to the best of RWS Group plc knowledge and belief, the English translation of the marked portion of the attached Japanese document is true and complete.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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Excerpt from Reasons for Refusal

The invention(s) in the claims listed below of the subject patent application cannot be granted a patent under the provision of Patent Law article 29 section (2) since it (they) could easily have been made by persons who have common knowledge in the technical field to which the invention(s) pertain(s) prior to the filing of the subject patent application, on the basis of the inventions disclosed in the publications listed below which were distributed in Japan or abroad prior to the filing of the subject patent application or which may have been made available to the public via electrical communication circuits.

Note (see list of cited documents, etc.)

- Claims 1 - 24
- cited documents: 1
- remarks

Cited document 1 discloses that, by subtracting an auto correlation pattern in the first station, a search is performed in the second station.

Making correspondences with multipasses, using different distribution codes for each base station and masking and the like are matters which can be suitably carried out by any person skilled in the art.

List of cited documents, etc.

1. Japanese laid-open patent application 2000-307470

Record of the results of the prior art document search

- Field searched IPC 7 H04J13/00-13/06

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- Prior art documents

Japanese laid-open patent application H10-336072

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This record of the results of the prior art document search is not a component of the reasons for refusal.



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